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lawfully that the court might in this case direct an application to the board of health for a petition to continue service. If the board acted immediately, the drought would be averted. If not, a well-known rule applicable is: whenever it is necessary to prevent a hardship, the defendant is given a reasonable time in which to conform to the injunction.

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